

Scraps and Facts.

Cincinnati, O., November 5: Speaking to the Cincinnati Commercial club of which he has been a member for fifteen years, William Howard Taft tonight sounded the keynote of prosperity for the country...

The president's party is to consist of his son, Kermit, who is to be the official photographer of the expedition and two naturalists from the National Museum...

The Yorkville Enquirer.

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Now let us see what the Republican party will do to the trusts.

YORKVILLE, S. C.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1908.

It is pretty evident that Mr. Gompers failed to deliver the labor vote to the Democratic party...

It was Mr. Bryan who first emphasized the trust issue. We are not prepared to say that he discovered the issue; but there is no doubt of the fact that he emphasized it.

THE naughty News and Courier claims credit for being first to nominate Mr. Bryan for 1912, and we can already see in our mind's eye how our esteemed contemporary would want to walk in the hall of 1912 and spring of 1912 when it will be called upon to stand by its nominee.

THE most important lesson that the people of the south have to learn in politics is, that individuals must do their own thinking. The north and west have the advantage of independence of thought.

THE Fort Mill Times makes the statement that the Enquirer has put itself on record as condoning perjury in elections. This statement, like many others the Times has seen proper to make about the Enquirer is without warrant of fact.

NEW YORK, November 3: The closing of the polls this evening was the signal for a rush to Park Row, where the newspapers had strung up large white canvases on which there were thrown election results and by 8 o'clock scores of thousands had congregated in City Hall park and nearby streets.

WE have heard of some complaint, not from any of the subscribers, by the way, of the thousands of good dollars contributed to the cause of the people of South Carolina by the people of South Carolina...

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been given to another candidate, but that is conjectural. The fact remains that the Democrats have met with the usual fate of those who back a horse that has been beaten.

Everybody knows that Mr. Bryan is an able and excellent public speaker, and of high moral ideals and practice, and that he has conferred a personal benefit upon the people that righteousness has a place in politics...

COMPLEXION OF NEXT CONGRESS

Democrats Seem to Have Gained Nine But Republicans Still in Control.

Chicago, Nov. 5.—The Republican party has a comfortable lead in the United States, control the next national house of representatives by a margin of 11.

The following table shows the number of representatives elected from all the States:

Table with 3 columns: State, Dem., Rep. Lists states from Alabama to Wyoming with corresponding counts.

AS BRYAN SEES IT.

Democratic Candidate Thinks the Party Made Good Fight.

William Jennings Bryan on yesterday afternoon issued a statement from Lincoln, Nebraska:

"The election has gone against us by a decisive majority. It is impossible, at the present time, to analyze them or to say what causes contributed most to the result."

"We made our fight upon a platform which embodied what we believed to be the best interests of the people. It is for the people themselves to decide what laws they desire and what methods of government they prefer."

"I am confident, too, that the educational work done in this campaign will result in a greater protection to bank depositors."

"The above are the most prominent reforms for which we labored, and which I believe will be accomplished, together with more effective regulation of railroads and independence of the shipowner."

"I desire to commend the work of our national committee. I am entirely satisfied with Mr. Macdonald's work as chairman, and with the members of the committee."

"I do not see how they could have done more than they did, and for myself, I put my faith in the power to secure victory for our cause. The nomination came from the hands of the voters, and I have only to thank them for their choice."

"In this hour of national defeat, I find some consolation in the fact that the many of my neighbors, by the citizens of Lincoln and by the people of the state of Nebraska, with the Democratic party, are able to put into practice so much of the Denver platform as relates to the regulation of the bank. The maximum penalty for this offense is ten years. The jury recommends clemency for Curtis."

NEW YORK, November 5: Charles W. Morse, until a year ago a dominant figure in the world of finance, and Alfred Curtis, a former president of the National Bank of North America, were found guilty tonight in the criminal court of the United States of conspiracy of funds and falsifying the books of the bank.

There were seven other defendants in the case, but the jury acquitted the men on this count. Curtis and Morse were sentenced to five years in prison, and committed the two bankers to the Tombs prison. Judge Hough said in his opinion that the conspiracy was a very serious one, and that the defendants were guilty of a crime of the highest order.

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LOCAL AFFAIRS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Mrs. L. E. Parish—Will serve oysters Tuesdays and Fridays at the hotel from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Mr. M. Smith, Exec.—Requests parties indebted to the estate of Lizzie R. Currence, deceased, to make settlement with the undersigned. Creditors will please present claims.

G. W. Sherer—Can supply you with fruits, vegetables, good coffee, choice meats, etc. A word to those who owe him beef accounts.

D. E. Boney, Manager—Publishes a financial statement of the Farmers Mutual Life Insurance company, verified by the state insurance commissioner.

Sherret & Ferguson—Have opened a meat market, under the name of 'The City Market,' in the Herndon building, between the city hall and J. C. Wilborn—Offers the Herndon place, two miles from Sharon, for sale. Very cheap.

Carroll B. Smith—You try Corno, a specially prepared feed for laying hens. It is said to be an egg producer for the winter.

Thomson Carriages—You try to spend Friday and Saturday with it, that can supply you with everything you need for your business.

Miss Edna—Suggests that you have a first-class photograph made of the baby—you might do it today.

J. Edgar Pong, Broker—Advises everybody to get down to business again, now that the election is over. He wants you to read his proposition, and will attend to your wants promptly.

M. W. White—Tells you to keep your share for the winter, if you are going to buy furniture it wants you to see his line.

I. W. White—Gives a list of reasonable staple and fancy groceries that you will find at his store. If it is not there, he will order it for you.

Loan and Savings Bank—Explains that where one man gets rich by hazardous speculation, a hundred get richer by the safe process of saving.

First National Bank—Invites farmers to place their money with it on open account and pay all bills with checks.

Royal Baking Powder Co.—Again reminds you of the absolute purity of Royal baking powder. See page four.

Foster-Milburn Co.—Publishes a testimonial letter of the good benefit derived from Doan's kidney pills. See page four.

A well known and successful farmer of York county claims that any reasonably intelligent laborer of fair energy can earn as much as the farmer in a year as a day laborer at \$15.00 a day.

It will be remembered that shortly after the rebuilding of the York county court house, Mr. J. Wylie Roddy, who was then in charge of the grand jury, sought to establish an anti-splittng rule.

Dr. J. D. McDowell has established his office in the upper north rooms of the Shandon hotel.

There was no bell ringing Tuesday night and no dynamite; but at the same time it is fair to say that there was little evidence of very keen disapproval.

Strong pressure is being brought to bear on Mr. Louis Roth to engage in the restaurant business again. While he is quite a large patron, that has never been so well satisfied elsewhere.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Mrs. S. W. Guy of Lowryville, is visiting Mrs. S. W. Inman.

Mrs. William Epps of Kingstree, is visiting Mrs. Mollie Bludworth.

Col. and Mrs. A. McLain of Lumberton, N. C., are visiting the family of Mr. H. H. Beard.

Mrs. M. J. Whitson of Wilkinsville, is in Yorkville on a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. P. White.

Mr. Mary J. Boam of Columbia, is in Yorkville today in the interest of the South Carolina Children's Home society.

Miss Mary White of Chester, who has been visiting her uncle, Dr. W. G. White, returned home Wednesday afternoon.

Hon. D. E. Finley and Mr. W. M. Kennedy are representing the Yorkville Association before the court at synod, which convened at Newberry yesterday.

Mr. S. W. Inman and family leave tomorrow morning for Lancaster, where they will make their future home. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Sam Guy of Lowryville.

MR. FINLEY IS HOPEFUL.

Columbia, S. C., Thursday: Congressman D. E. Finley, dean of the South Carolina congressional delegation, was in the city yesterday en route to Newberry to attend the A. R. F. synod.

and during the last few weeks of the campaign furnished all the money that could be used in bringing about his defeat.

"While I was in doubt as to Mr. Bryan's election I had strong hopes that the Democrats would carry the house of representatives, and apparently the returns show that it is so."

"The Democratic party is not dead nor even badly crippled. I think that the party is stronger today than at any time since 1892. As to what the Democrats will do in congress, we will stand for Democratic principles and make a fight for them. I for one do not believe in a submissive minority."

"As to what the Republican administration will do during the next four years, I am of the opinion that less attention will be paid the negro in politics, and no doubt an effort will be made to split the solid south."

"I do not fear anything of the kind. Our people are better informed than the fire and they know what the result will certainly be. I am inclined to think that Mr. Taft will pay more attention to the business interests of the country than has Mr. Roosevelt."

THE SPECULATIVE MARKET.

The developments in the speculative market yesterday were summarized in an Associated Press article from New York, last night as follows:

The cotton market showed a further reactionary tendency today, closing steady at a net decline of 2 to 3 points. Sales were estimated at 225,000 bales.

The market opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of two points and after some irregularly sold 1 to 4 points net higher as a result of better cables than due, covering, and some fresh buying promoted by optimistic reports from Manchester.

The market of Manchester labor troubles within the next week. Offerings increased at the advance of 2 to 3 points, and the market worked off under realizing and local selling for a term based to some extent on the talk of a new strike demand from domestic mills and exporters.

Receipts at the ports today 62,632 bales against 64,888 last week and 41,000 last year. Total receipts 425,000 bales last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 16,367 bales against 17,848 last year, and at Houston 15,828 bales against 11,584 last year.

RESULT IN THE COUNTY.

The boards of commissioners of state and county and Federal elections will meet in Yorkville on next Tuesday for the purpose of accepting that position. This was in 1848. He remained in Winnsboro for five years and being offered a similar position in Yorkville came to this place in 1853.

He taught for a while in what was known as the Male Academy, a brick building that used to stand at the corner of Congress and Charlotte streets, and shortly after the opening of the Kings Mountain Military school, he accepted a position in the Yorkville Female college.

The college was badly crippled by the war, and in 1859 had to be closed. Mr. Schorb had been taking photographs during his spare time all the while he was teaching at Winnsboro and Yorkville; but at the close of the female college he devoted himself entirely to his art and continued to make a profession of it up to the time of his death.

As has been stated in the Enquirer more than once, the old studio on West Liberty street, is a treasure house of pictorial lore. Though making pictures for a living, the artistic, the historical and the human elements of the profession affected him with far greater force than the commercial side.

He had been methodical all his long life, and he early began to apply methods to his art. It is probable safe to say that he kept duplicates of almost every photograph he ever made. It is certain that he preserved many daguerotypes, and the thousands of photographs and views in his collection constitute a most interesting and valuable pictorial history of the town and county.

Though of a quiet and unobtrusive character, Mr. Schorb always took a keen and intelligent interest in the affairs of the state and nation as well as in the town and community. He seldom failed to cast his vote on election day; but never offered political advice except when it was asked of him. He served as a member of the town council of Yorkville for about twelve years and during eight years of that time was treasurer and clerk. His books were always clear and accurate.

During the greater part of his long life, Mr. Schorb devoted close attention to church affairs. He was elected a ruling elder in the First Presbyterian church of Yorkville in October 1863, and continued in the office up to the time of his death. He was faithful and regular in his attendance on all church services and meetings and lived up to the high standard of moral and religious duty. During many years he was church organist.

Mr. Schorb leaves one son, Mr. George T. Schorb. His only other child, Mrs. J. Walter Dixon, died a few years ago. There are twelve grand children and twelve great-grand children.

LOCAL LAGONICS.

We Will Send The Enquirer

to the date January 1st, 1909, for 32 cents.

A house occupied by Wm. Ragsdale, colored, on Mr. John F. Smith's place about eight miles north of Yorkville, was destroyed by fire Wednesday afternoon. The loss included the house and contents along with two bales of cotton and amounted to several hundred dollars.

Ragsdale was in Yorkville at the time and his wife was in the cotton field. It was thought at first that two children were burned, but they were afterward found asleep in a nearby corn crib.

The county board of commissioners held its regular monthly meeting last Wednesday and audited and paid enough accounts to exhaust all of the available money. The only business of public character out of the usual routine was the adoption of a resolution, providing that County Engineer Law submit the plans of the Mecklenburg stockade and submit the same, together with estimates of the cost of repairs, to the board of public works to meet the requirements of York county.

Rock Hill special of November 3, to the Columbia State. All reports from the rural districts of York county are being forwarded to the State. The young birds—supposed to be safe until November 15, are being slaughtered. A special flock of Rock Hill, S. C., states that on Saturday the sounds of their ears on his rounds approached that of a battle—in other words, regular volley firing. It is a lamentable fact that the citizens of this section of the State, who are so often very woefully derelict when it comes to the question of observing the same, while the law is in their hands, are not so far as general hunting is concerned they are not free to shoot in the open field, as are at perfect liberty to kill them on their own land.

Warden Wyle, who is so zealous in the discharge of his duties, is a man who is ready and willing to prosecute any one whom he knows to be or can obtain evidence against as guilty of a violation of the law. This trouble, he says, is that a comes to him and says: "It has been shooting birds right along my place. I don't use my rifle. There is the whole trouble. Nobody wishes to testify against his neighbor. This is the spirit which is the root of all of South Carolina's disregard of law. Your correspondent does not set himself up as any better than the others and will not make any such statement. He is the same, but he does realize that "there is the rub" and that the whole thing is a matter of life and death. Tysohd at Winthrop.

Columbia special of Thursday to Charlotte Observer: The authorities of Winthrop college, where 600 girls from all parts of the state are at school, are much concerned about the prevalence of typhoid fever, the contaminating source of which they have after several days been unable to locate. There are three well advanced cases in the college hospital with an extra trained nurse on duty and several other suspected cases which have not yet been finally diagnosed as typhoid. In addition to these, several other suspected cases have been too far advanced on her to prevent travel. State Health Officer Dr. C. W. Williams of Columbia, in a letter to the college, urged investigation with the local health board and the local members of the board of health, and that the college should get satisfactory results. Not only is all the food supply being scientifically inspected, but the water supply is being investigated. Sample water from every spigot on the premises in addition to the principal source of drinking water and the water supply at the college dairy were sent on to Charleston to be analyzed by the State Health Officer. A sample of the main drinking water was sent on to Baltimore for analysis. The college authorities have just telegraphed that it is pure and contains positively no typhoid germs. It is said, in the city of Rock Hill, and it is probable that the college is not the only one of the kind in the State. It is said that the college water works until the trouble is over, if any reason is found for suspecting the present supply. A perplexing feature of the case is the fact that the water works until the trouble is over, if any reason is found for suspecting the present supply. A perplexing feature of the case is the fact that the water works until the trouble is over, if any reason is found for suspecting the present supply.

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BRYAN'S CONGRATULATIONS.

Friendly Exchange Between Late Rivals For Presidency.

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 5.—"Please accept congratulations and best wishes for the success of your administration," said a message from Bryan to Taft.

"I thank you sincerely for your cordial and courteous telegram of congratulation and good wishes," said Taft in reply.

These messages were today exchanged between Lincoln, Neb., and Cincinnati. The message from Mr. Bryan was a friendly one, commending the general conference of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, which received the message on his return to his residence and answered it at once.

In his address to the women, Judge Taft gave an enthusiastic commendation of foreign mission work. His experience in the far east, he said, had convinced him of the value of work in uplifting these people and he commented upon the elevating effect of Christianity upon the heathen. He said that the influence of Bryan, as he asserted, the present degree of success in civilization and government was made possible through the influence of Christianity.

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MEMRE-MENTION.

Fire did damage to the amount of \$250,000 in a Philadelphia lumber yard which was destroyed...

The Pennsylvania railroad company has let a contract to the Westinghouse Manufacturing company to build a new terminal of its New York and Brooklyn terminals, yards and tunnels. The contract is for the sum of \$5,000,000.

Mr. J. H. Griffin had a fine bird dog which was a few weeks ago shot by one of two parties after leaving home and was known to fight with several dogs. It was last seen in the Grandview neighborhood.

Mrs. Agnes Isom of Rock Hill, who is recovering from a serious illness, has received a letter from Bryan. She says with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Dunbar.

The ginners are not crowded now as they were a few weeks ago. The November report will not be calculated to "bear" the market much.

TAFI'S PLURALITY GROWS.

Further Returns Make Republican Victory More Overwhelming.

New York, Nov. 5.—The membership of the electoral college which was chosen at the late general election according to the best information obtainable, the proportionate numbers of Republican and Democratic electors are determined by division of Maryland's eight votes. Half of the city of Baltimore and two of the twenty-two votes of the State are said to be counted, but there is a strong indication that the state vote will be split in any event.

It is probable that the state vote will be split in any event. The returns for the State are far from complete, but indicate that the hopes of the Democrats have not been realized and that the Republicans are expected here have been disappointed. The figures for the Independence party vote are also insufficient to give an accurate idea of what the party accomplished.

GOVERNORS ELECTED.

The Successful Ones in the Doubtful States.

Here are the men who appear to be elected governors—Simon S. Pennewill, Republican.

Florida—Albert W. Gilchrist, Democrat.

Illinois—Charles S. Deneen, Republican.

Indiana—Thomas R. Marshall, Democrat.

Iowa—B. F. Carroll, Republican.

Kansas—Walter R. Stubbs, Republican.

Massachusetts—Eben S. Draper, Republican.

Michigan—Fred M. Warner, Republican.

Minnesota—John A. Johnson, Democrat.

Missouri—Herbert S. Hadley, Republican.

New Hampshire—Henry B. Quinby, Republican.

New York—Charles E. Hughes, Republican.

North Carolina—W. W. Kitchin, Democrat.

North Dakota—C. A. Johnson, Republican.

Ohio—Judson Harmon, Democrat.

South Carolina—James F. Ansel, Democrat.

Tennessee—M. R. Patterson, Democrat.

Texas—Thomas M. Campbell, Democrat.

Washington—Samuel G. Cosgrove, Republican.

Wisconsin—James O. Davidson, Republican.

NOTES FROM OGDEN.

Township Sunday School Association.

—Small Grain Sowing Retarded—Heavier Vote Than Usual—Suspect—Mad-dog at Large—Other Matters.

Ogdon, November 4.—A township Sunday School association was organized here for the purpose of sowing seed for the purpose at Bethesda church. The meeting was very well attended, all the Sunday schools in the township were represented. Major W. D. Boyce of Rock Hill, president of the county association, was also present, and considerable interest was manifested in the plan of the proposed association, which was fully explained by Major Boyce and others.

The meeting was presided over by Moore, superintendent of the Bethesda Sunday school in the chair and Mr. C. E. Strait acting secretary. The following officers were nominated and elected: Dr. Wm. Love, president; W. T. Hollis, vice president; J. F. Wincup, secretary; J. E. Strait, treasurer; committee: Antioch, I. S. Kidd; Smith's Chapel, C. E. Strait; Bethesda, C. E. Strait; Ogdon, J. E. Strait; superintendent cradle roll department, Rev. J. K. Hall; superintendent home department, Rev. J. B. Swann; superintendent of the training class, Rev. W. A. Beckham.

The rains of last week and this week have greatly delayed the work of sowing seed. There are three well advanced cases in the college hospital with an extra trained nurse on duty and several other suspected cases which have not yet been finally diagnosed as typhoid. In addition to these, several other suspected cases have been too far advanced on her to prevent travel. State Health Officer Dr. C. W. Williams of Columbia, in a letter to the college, urged investigation with the local health board and the local members of the board of health, and that the college should get satisfactory results. Not only is all the food supply being scientifically inspected, but the water supply is being investigated. Sample water from every spigot on the premises in addition to the principal source of drinking water and the water supply at the college dairy were sent on to Charleston to be analyzed by the State Health Officer. A sample of the main drinking water was sent on to Baltimore for analysis. The college authorities have just telegraphed that it